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TO: Mayor John Dennis
City Council Members
West Lafayette Police Merit Commission Members

FR: Chief Jason Dombkowski

RE: October 2014 Monthly Report

During the month of October the West Lafayette Police Department received **2,480 calls for service**, an increase of 4 calls from September, and a decrease of 17 calls from October 2013.

A focus on traffic safety and traffic enforcement in the month of October netted 13 Operating While Intoxicated arrests by WLPD patrol officers. Officers were highly visible in construction zones and school zones, making 135 traffic stops in active school zones this past month.

The Police Merit Commission hired a new officer in October and a second new officer will start later this week. Elizabeth T. Romstadt, a native of LaPorte, IN, is a graduate of Purdue University and a three year veteran of the Lafayette Police Department. The second new officer, Octavio D. Gaeta from Lafayette, is a graduate of Purdue University and is a commissioned officer and recent veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

WLPD officers participated in several breast cancer awareness and prevention events this past month, including the wearing of pink t-shirts under their uniform shirts while on duty. Officers also participated in events with the YWCA for domestic violence awareness and the Drug-Free Coalition's Red Ribbon Week in the month of October.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Dombkowski", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jason Dombkowski
Chief of Police